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Table 1: Economy

	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
<b>ESTIMATES OF UNEMPLOYMENT - June quarter</b>					
Unemployed persons	na	7	3	4	2
Unemployment rate	%	1.3	0.5	0.7	0.3
<b>TAXATION STATISTICS - year ended 30 June</b>					
Non-taxable individuals	na	-	-	161	168
Taxable income (non-taxable individuals)	\$m	-	-	5.9	6.0
Average taxable income (non-taxable individuals)	\$	-	-	5,673	6,012
Taxable individuals	na	-	-	475	452
Taxable individuals (individuals)	\$m	-	-	117	102
Average taxable income (taxable individuals)	\$	-	-	37,681	43,996
Net tax	\$m	-	-	3.8	4.2
Average net tax	\$	-	-	7,948	9,202
Net tax as a proportion of taxable income	%	-	-	12	13
Net tax as a proportion of taxable income (individuals)	%	-	-	12	13
Taxable and non-taxable individuals	na	-	-	630	620
Taxable and non-taxable individuals (individuals)	\$m	-	-	141	139
Average taxable income (taxable and non-taxable individuals)	\$	-	-	29,545	33,675
<b>SELECTED GOVERNMENT PENSIONS &amp; ALLOWANCES - at 30 June</b>					
Age Pension - Centres	na	58	57	57	64
Age Pension - DVA	na	0	0	0	0
Carers Payment	na	0	0	0	0
Department of Pension	na	0	0	0	0
Newstart Allowance	na	0	0	0	0
Pensioner Payment - Single	na	0	0	0	0
Youth Allowances	na	0	0	0	0
Newstart Allowance - more than 365 days	%	na	10	10	10
<b>ESTIMATES OF PERSONAL INCOME - year ended 30 June</b>					
Wages and salary earners	na	365	356	364	370
Wage and salary income	\$m	6.9	6.9	10.2	11.6
Average wage and salary income	\$	21,021	21,673	21,870	21,443
Own unincorporated business earners	na	319	320	290	297
Own unincorporated business income	\$m	12.2	14.5	14.1	14.7
Average Own unincorporated business income	\$	38,271	20,250	19,232	18,860
Investment earners	na	393	392	384	389
Investment income	\$m	4.7	4.7	4.4	4.4
Average Investment Income	\$	5,981	6,032	7,213	8,751
Supervision and emolument earners	na	2	7	3	2
Supervision and emolument income	\$m	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.2
Average Supervision and penalty income	\$	10,148	13,303	27,138	25,797
Other income earners (excl. Government pensions & allowances)	na	60	67	71	66
Other income (excl. Government pensions & allowances)	\$m	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.2
Average other income (excl. Government pensions & allowances)	\$	1,758	3,587	3,040	2,603
Total income (excl. Government pensions & allowances)	\$m	24.7	19.3	19.0	20.5
<b>WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS BY AGE AND SEX - year ended 30 June</b>					
Males - 15 years to 19 years	na	39	52	39	50
Males - 20 years to 24 years	na	47	35	38	45
Males - 25 years to 34 years	na	48	51	52	46
Males - 35 years to 44 years	na	51	54	53	44
Males - 45 years to 54 years	na	29	35	36	30
Males - 55 years to 64 years	na	24	26	26	24
Males - 65 years and over	na	11	9	8	9
Males - Total	na	202	190	196	200
Females - 15 years to 24 years	na	24	22	27	32
Females - 25 years to 34 years	na	39	26	27	26
Females - 35 years to 44 years	na	41	35	34	34
Females - 45 years to 54 years	na	88	93	101	95
Females - 55 years to 64 years	na	63	69	63	76
Females - 65 years and over	na	49	49	49	49
Females - Total	na	177	144	148	161
Total wage and salary earners	na	365	356	360	370
<b>WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS BY OCCUPATION - year ended 30 June</b>					
Managers and Administrators	na	52	40	42	36
Professionals	na	39	40	41	40
Associate Professionals	na	40	40	40	40
Tradepersons and Related Workers	na	42	45	42	48
Advanced Clerical and Service Workers	na	7	7	7	7
Intermediate Clerical, Sales and Service Workers	na	20	20	20	20
Elementary Clerical, Sales and Service Workers	na	12	15	20	13
Laborers and Related Workers	na	89	88	107	92
Non-laborers	na	41	35	35	35
Total wage and salary earners	na	365	362	363	370
<b>ESTIMATES OF HOUSEHOLD WEALTH - year ended 29 June</b>					
Net worth per household	\$1000	na	1	1	1
Aggregate household net worth	\$1000	na	1	1	1
Equivalised net worth	\$1000	na	1	1	1
Assets per household	\$1000	na	1	1	1
Liabilities per household	\$1000	na	1	1	1
Debt to asset ratio	%	na	-	-	-
<b>COUNTS OF BUSINESSES, INCLUDING ENTRIES AND EXITS</b>					
Number of Businesses - at 30 June					
Non-employing business entries	na	180	180	80	87
Employing business entries, 1 to 4 employees	na	46	60	51	54
Employing businesses, 5 or more employees	na	24	24	27	24
Total businesses	na	180	182	168	165
Business Entries - year ended 30 June					
Non-employing business entries	na	21	9	21	12
Employing business entries	na	9	20	19	21
Total business entries	na	27	24	27	27
Business Exits - year ended 30 June					
Non-employing business exits	na	18	6	6	0
Employing business exits	na	9	3	18	6
Total business exits	na	21	9	24	15
Number of Businesses by Industry - at 30 June					
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	na	147	156	144	155
Mining	na	0	0	0	0
Manufacturing	na	0	0	0	0
Electricity, gas and water supply	na	0	0	0	0
Construction	na	0	0	0	0
Wholesale trade	na	0	0	0	0
Retail trade	na	12	6	6	0
Accommodation, cafe and restaurants	na	3	6	3	3
Transport, postal and warehousing	na	0	0	0	0
Communication services	na	0	0	0	0
Finance and insurance	na	3	6	5	6
Property and business services	na	0	0	0	12
Education, health and community services	na	0	0	0	0
Health and community services	na	0	0	0	0
Cultural and recreational services	na	0	0	0	0
Personal and other services	na	0	0	0	0
Total businesses	na	180	182	168	165



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**Table 2: Population and People**

		2004	2005
<b>ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION BY AGE AND SEX - at 30 June</b>			
Males - 0 to 4 years	no.	51	49
Males - 5 years to 9 years	no.	48	50
Males - 10 years to 14 years	no.	23	27
Males - 15 years to 19 years	no.	19	13
Males - 20 years to 24 years	no.	24	25
Males - 25 years to 29 years	no.	30	25
Males - 30 years to 34 years	no.	51	46
Males - 35 years to 39 years	no.	42	46
Males - 40 years to 44 years	no.	39	40
Males - 45 years to 49 years	no.	45	49
Males - 50 years to 54 years	no.	38	39
Males - 55 years to 59 years	no.	30	29
Males - 60 years to 64 years	no.	29	30
Males - 65 years to 69 years	no.	23	24
Males - 70 years to 74 years	no.	18	19
Males - 75 years to 79 years	no.	8	11
Males - 80 years to 84 years	no.	6	3
Males - 85 years and over	no.	8	8
Males - Total	no.	532	533
 Females - 0 to 4 years	no.	48	40
Females - 5 years to 9 years	no.	41	43
Females - 10 years to 14 years	no.	20	20
Females - 15 years to 19 years	no.	4	4
Females - 20 years to 24 years	no.	25	21
Females - 25 years to 29 years	no.	23	19
Females - 30 years to 34 years	no.	37	40
Females - 35 years to 39 years	no.	51	50
Females - 40 years to 44 years	no.	29	32
Females - 45 years to 49 years	no.	31	37
Females - 50 years to 54 years	no.	26	29
Females - 55 years to 59 years	no.	36	36
Females - 60 years to 64 years	no.	24	30
Females - 65 years to 69 years	no.	14	14
Females - 70 years to 74 years	no.	12	14
Females - 75 years to 79 years	no.	5	6
Females - 80 years to 84 years	no.	1	0
Females - 85 years and over	no.	6	7
Females - Total	no.	433	442
 Persons - 0 to 4 years	no.	99	89
Persons - 5 years to 9 years	no.	89	93
Persons - 10 years to 14 years	no.	43	47

Persons - 15 years to 19 years	no.	23	17
Persons - 20 years to 24 years	no.	49	46
Persons - 25 years to 29 years	no.	53	44
Persons - 30 years to 34 years	no.	88	86
Persons - 35 years to 39 years	no.	93	96
Persons - 40 years to 44 years	no.	68	72
Persons - 45 years to 49 years	no.	76	86
Persons - 50 years to 54 years	no.	64	68
Persons - 55 years to 59 years	no.	66	65
Persons - 60 years to 64 years	no.	53	60
Persons - 65 years to 69 years	no.	37	38
Persons - 70 years to 74 years	no.	30	33
Persons - 75 years to 79 years	no.	13	17
Persons - 80 years to 84 years	no.	7	3
Persons - 85 years and over	no.	14	15
Persons - Total	no.	965	975

**POPULATION DENSITY (ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION) - at 30 June**

Population density	persons/km2	-	-
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**ESTIMATED RESIDENT INDIGENOUS POPULATION - at 30 June**

Percentage of total population	%	-	-
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**OVERSEAS BORN POPULATION: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION - Census 2006**

Born in Oceania and Antarctica (excluding Australia)	%	-	-
Born in North-West Europe	%	-	-
Born in Southern and Eastern Europe	%	-	-
Born in North Africa and the Middle East	%	-	-
Born in South-East Asia	%	-	-
Born in North-East Asia	%	-	-
Born in Southern and Central Asia	%	-	-
Born in Americas	%	-	-
Born in Sub-Saharan Africa	%	-	-
Total born overseas	%	-	-

**SPEAKS A LANGUAGE OTHER THAN ENGLISH AT HOME - Census 2006**

Percentage of total population	%	-	-
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**LEVEL OF POST SCHOOL QUALIFICATIONS: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER - Census 2006**

Postgraduate Degree	%	-	-
Graduate Diploma and Graduate Certificate	%	-	-
Bachelor Degree	%	-	-
Advanced Diploma and Diploma	%	-	-
Certificate	%	-	-
Inadequately Described/Not Stated	%	-	-
Total with qualifications	%	-	-

**OCCUPATION OF EMPLOYED PERSONS: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL EMPLOYED PERSONS - Census 2006**

Managers	%	-	-
Professionals	%	-	-
Technicians and Trades Workers	%	-	-
Community and Personal Service Workers	%	-	-
Clerical and Administrative Workers	%	-	-
Sales Workers	%	-	-

Machinery Operators and Drivers	%	-	-
Labourers	%	-	-
Inadequately Described/Not Stated	%	-	-

#### **HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE - Census 2006**

Lone person households	no.	-	-
Group households	no.	-	-
Family households	no.	-	-
Total households	no.	-	-

#### **FAMILIES BY TYPE - Census 2006**

Couple families with children under 15 and/or dependent students	no.	-	-
Couple families with non-dependent children only	no.	-	-
Couple families without children	no.	-	-
One parent families with children under 15 and/or dependent students	no.	-	-
One parent families with non-dependent children only	no.	-	-
Other families	no.	-	-
Total families	no.	-	-

#### **INTERNAL MIGRATION - Census 2006**

Persons who lived at same address 1 year ago	no.	-	-
Persons who lived at different address 1 year ago	no.	-	-
Persons who lived at same address 5 years ago	no.	-	-
Persons who lived at different address 5 years ago	no.	-	-

#### **PROPORTION OF POPULATION BY REMOTENESS AREA - Census 2006**

Major Cities	%	-	-
Inner Regional	%	-	-
Outer Regional	%	-	-
Remote	%	-	-
Very Remote	%	-	-

#### **PROPORTION OF POPULATION BY SECTION OF STATE - Census 2006**

Major Urban	%	-	-
Other Urban	%	-	-
Bounded Locality	%	-	-
Rural Balance	%	-	-

#### **UNPAID WORK: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER - Census 2006**

Persons undertaking voluntary work for an organisation or group	%	-	-
Persons caring for own children without pay	%	-	-
Persons caring for other children without pay	%	-	-
Persons caring for own children and other children without pay	%	-	-
Persons providing unpaid care, help or assistance to family members or others	%	-	-

#### **ACCESS TO INTERNET AT HOME: PROPORTION OF OCCUPIED PRIVATE DWELLINGS - Census 2006**

Broadband connection	%	-	-
Dial-up connection	%	-	-
Other connection	%	-	-
Total internet connections	%	-	-

#### **BIRTHS AND DEATHS - year ended 31 December**

Births	no.	19	9
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Total fertility rate	rate	3.4	2.6
Deaths	no.	8	3
Standardised death rate	rate	7.5	np

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<b>2006</b>	<b>2007</b>	<b>2008</b>
40	35	35
47	49	46
34	33	33
14	17	14
29	22	18
27	30	33
37	31	30
47	41	42
44	39	40
49	54	52
41	44	41
35	36	38
26	22	25
21	27	26
17	19	24
17	14	18
4	3	3
5	8	4
534	524	522
30	28	33
43	39	32
25	33	39
3	5	8
18	15	13
14	14	14
44	32	24
38	38	34
42	39	48
35	39	37
27	25	26
38	36	37
29	28	33
12	16	18
15	18	8
3	3	12
1	2	0
3	1	1
420	411	417
70	63	68
90	88	78
59	66	72

17	22	22
47	37	31
41	44	47
81	63	54
85	79	76
86	78	88
84	93	89
68	69	67
73	72	75
55	50	58
33	43	44
32	37	32
20	17	30
5	5	3
8	9	5
954	935	939

-	-	0.4
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2.3	-	-
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4.9	-	-
5.4	-	-
0.0	-	-
0.0	-	-
0.4	-	-
0.5	-	-
0.0	-	-
0.5	-	-
0.4	-	-
11.9	-	-

1.2	-	-
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#### **1995 2006**

1.0	-	-
0.4	-	-
7.9	-	-
7.0	-	-
15.7	-	-
11.6	-	-
43.6	-	-

52.6	-	-
6.2	-	-
8.5	-	-
1.9	-	-
6.4	-	-
2.6	-	-

9.4 - -  
11.8 - -  
0.6 - -

93 - -  
10 - -  
243 - -  
346 - -

101 - -  
14 - -  
111 - -  
6 - -  
7 - -  
3 - -  
242 - -

733 - -  
97 - -  
519 - -  
241 - -

0.0 - -  
0.0 - -  
100.0 - -  
0.0 - -  
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0.0 - -  
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0.0 - -  
100.0 - -

38.5 - -  
23.4 - -  
7.3 - -  
2.8 - -  
10.5 - -

11.0 - -  
48.1 - -  
2.0 - -  
61.1 - -

2.3	2.2	2.9
4	4	6
np	np	5.4



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**Table 3: Industry**

		2004	2005
<b>BUILDING APPROVALS - year ended 30 June</b>			
Private sector houses	no.	4	1
Total dwelling units	no.	6	1
Value of private sector houses	\$m	0.6	0.0
Value of new residential building	\$m	0.8	0.0
Value of total residential building	\$m	0.9	0.1
Value of total non-residential building	\$m	0.2	2.9
Value of total building	\$m	1.1	3.0
Average value of private sector houses	\$'000	139.5	30.0
<b>MOTOR VEHICLE CENSUS - REGISTERED MOTOR VEHICLES - at 31 March</b>			
<b>Number by type of vehicle</b>			
Passenger vehicles	no.	490	504
Campervans	no.	4	4
Light commercial vehicles	no.	363	370
Light rigid trucks	no.	16	18
Heavy rigid trucks	no.	181	184
Articulated trucks	no.	23	23
Non-freight carrying trucks	no.	9	7
Buses	no.	9	10
Motorcycles	no.	33	33
Total registered motor vehicles	no.	1 128	1 153
<b>Rate per 1,000 population</b>			
Passenger vehicles	no.	508	517
Campervans	no.	4	4
Light commercial vehicles	no.	376	379
Light rigid trucks	no.	17	18
Heavy rigid trucks	no.	188	189
Articulated trucks	no.	24	24
Non-freight carrying trucks	no.	9	7
Buses	no.	9	10
Motorcycles	no.	34	34
Total registered motor vehicles	no.	1 169	1 183
<b>Age of vehicle</b>			
Less than 5 years old	no.	280	274
5 years to less than 10 years old	no.	261	260
10 years or older	no.	587	619
<b>Number by type of fuel</b>			
Petrol	no.	612	619

Diesel	no.	505	522
LPG/Dual/Other	no.	11	12

**GROSS VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION \* - year ended 30 June**

Gross value of crops	\$m	-	-
Gross value of livestock slaughterings	\$m	-	-
Gross value of livestock products	\$m	-	-
Total gross value of agricultural production	\$m	-	-

**AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES \* - year ended 30 June**

**Total area**

Area of holding	ha	-	-
Cereals for grain	ha	-	-
Vegetables for human consumption	ha	-	-
Orchard trees (including nuts)	ha	-	-
All fruit (excluding grapes)	ha	-	-
Non-cereal broadacre crops	ha	-	-

**Total number**

Sheep and lambs	no.	-	-
Milk cattle (excluding house cows)	no.	-	-
Meat cattle	no.	-	-
Pigs	no.	-	-

\* Agricultural commodities and value of production data is subject to relative standard error (RSE) - for further information see ABS

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<b>2006</b>	<b>2007</b>	<b>2008</b>
3	5	4
3	5	4
0.5	1.3	0.7
0.5	1.3	0.7
0.5	1.4	0.8
0.4	0.2	1.1
0.9	1.6	1.9
165.6	267.8	182.5
520	503	521
6	6	4
385	376	405
18	18	17
191	167	171
26	25	26
7	12	13
13	13	13
36	37	48
1 202	1 157	1 218
545	538	555
6	6	4
404	402	431
19	19	18
200	179	182
27	27	28
7	13	14
14	14	14
38	40	51
1 260	1 237	1 297
293	278	292
252	252	261
657	627	665
624	590	629

560	546	567
18	21	22

60.0	-	-
12.5	-	-
7.3	-	-
79.8	-	-

242 589.9	-	-
74 936.0	-	-
7.7	-	-
0.0	-	-
0.0	-	-
22 268.1	-	-

317 495	-	-
0	-	-
14 860	-	-
13 306	-	-

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**Table 4: Environment and Energy**

	2004	2005
<b>LAND AREA</b>		
Land area	km2	-
<b>WATER USE ON AUSTRALIAN FARMS</b>		
Area of agricultural land	ha '000	-
Area irrigated	ha '000	-
Irrigation volume applied	ML	-
Other agricultural uses	ML	-
Total water use	ML	-
Area irrigated as proportion of agricultural land	%	-

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	<b>2006</b>	<b>2007</b>	<b>2008</b>
	-	-	2 552.8
243	-	-	
0	-	-	
np	-	-	
np	-	-	
1 086	-	-	
0.0	-	-	